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DEFENSE POSITION, ROUTE 9
MUONG PHALANE AREA, LAOS
1638N 10538E

(SEE NPIC BRIEFING BOARD J-0603 FOR COMPARISON)

1. [REDACTED] REVEALED A DEFENSE
POSITION FOUR NM EAST-SOUTHEAST OF MUONG PHALANE ON BOTH
SIDES OF ROUTE 9 CONSISTING OF A FENCE-SECURED AREA
CONTAINING NUMEROUS TRENCHES. TWO TRENCHES CUTTING ACROSS
THE ROAD AND A ROADBLOCK WERE OBSERVED.

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2. THIS MISSION [REDACTED]
REVEALS NUMEROUS AW POSITIONS WITHIN THE AREA AND AN
ADDITIONAL ROADBLOCK ON ROUTE 9. NUMEROUS BOMB CRATERS AND
POSSIBLE ROCKET AND/OR MORTAR CRATERS ARE OBSERVED THROUGHOUT
THE AREA.

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3. AREA HAS BEEN PREVIOUSLY COVERED BY COLD TALE AND
[REDACTED]

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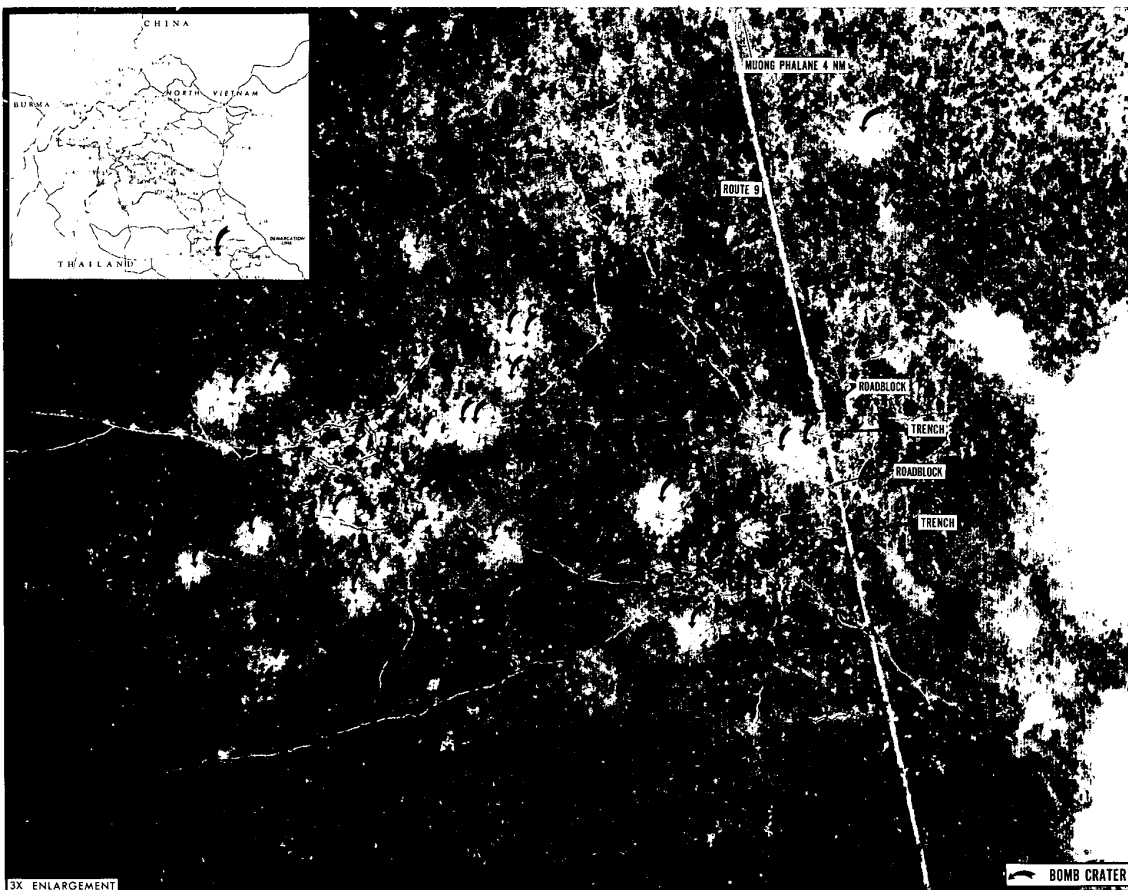
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